

Level 3. Classroom Animals

# Alpha Readers

## Classroom Animals



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## A Fill in the blanks and complete the puzzle.

### Across →

1. A \_\_\_\_\_ grows into a frog.



5. Frogs eat \_\_\_\_\_s.



6. Canaries need a \_\_\_\_\_ to sit.



8. It produces silk.



### Down ↓

2. We can keep the birds in the \_\_\_\_\_.



3. We study in the \_\_\_\_\_ at school.

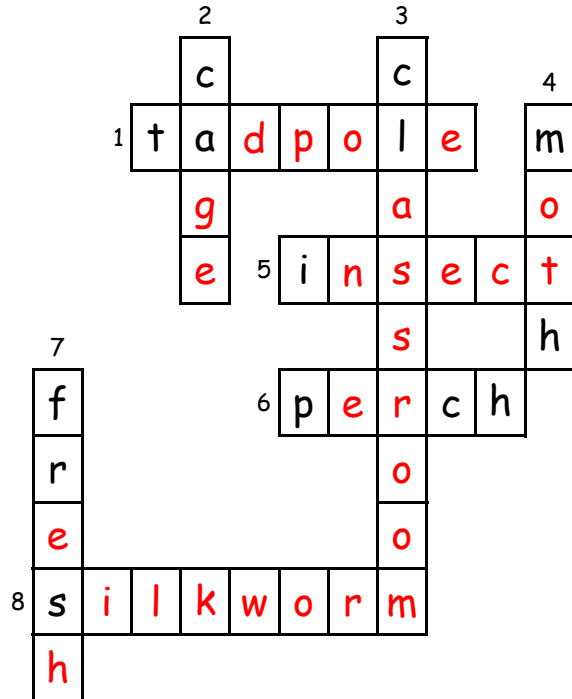


4. A silkworm grows into a \_\_\_\_\_.



7. new and different

Put some \_\_\_\_\_ leaves every day.

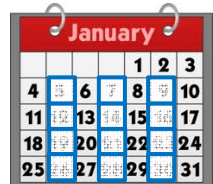


## B

Look at the calendar. How often do you have to do something?  
Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

Change some water **three times a week**.

(once, twice, three times)



Change some water **once a week**.

(once, twice, three times)









Change some water **twice a week**.

(once, twice, three times)



**C** Complete the chart for "Classroom Animals".

Classroom Animals	What They Need
 <u>tadpoles</u>	water
 <u>frogs</u>	a <u>dry</u> place
 <u>fish</u>	water in a <u>fish bowl</u>
 <u>rabbits</u>	a <u>cage</u> with room to move, water
 <u>canaries</u>	a cage with a <u>perch</u> , water
 <u>silkworms</u>	a <u>shoe box</u>
frogs, rabbits, silkworms, tadpoles, fish, canaries	shoe box, dry, fish bowl, perch, cage

**D** Complete a report about a classroom animal.

I want to keep rabbits in my classroom.

1. What do they need?

They need a cage with room and water.

2. What do they eat?

They eat vegetables and hay.

3. How will you look after them?

I will clean the cage and change the water every day.

Answers vary.

1. water, a dry place, water in a tank, a cage with room/a perch, shoe box
2. plants, insects, flakes of dried food, vegetables, hay, seeds, fruit, mulberry leaves
3. change the water, clean the cage, keep the box clean, put in fresh mulberry leaves, once a week, every day